



## AMENDMENT / RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Applicant : Shirai et al.  
 App. No. : 10/068,423  
 Filed : February 4, 2002  
 For : PHOTODIODE ARRAY  
 DEVICE, A PHOTODIODE  
 MODULE, AND A  
 STRUCTURE FOR  
 CONNECTING THE  
 PHOTODIODE MODULE  
 AND AN OPTICAL  
 CONNECTOR  
 Examiner : E. J. Wojciechowicz  
 Art Unit : 2815

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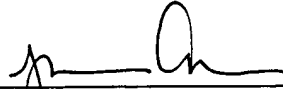
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 6, 2004, please amend the above captioned application as set forth below.